



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of :

Roy CULLIMORE et al.

Appln. No. 10/812,436 : Art Unit - 1651

Filed: March 30, 2004 : Examiner: Thane E. Underdahl

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR :

PRODUCTION AND REFINEMENT OF MICROBIAL
CONSORTIA AND METHOD OF:

USE OF MICROBIAL CONSOR-

TIA AS THERAPEUTIC AGENT : Docket No. N001-5257

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RESPONSE

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In response to the Office Action mailed November 17, 2006, applicants amend their application as follows:

ADDITIONAL FEE:

No additional fee is believed required in connection with this response. However, should it be determined that a fee is due, authorization is hereby given to charge any such fee to our Deposit Account No. 01-0268.

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